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**Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/981,463 of Max STERN for his
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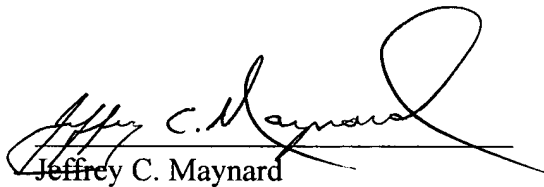
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